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The attached sketch is the best survey to date on the industrial installations of Asbest and on the route of the most essential roads and railroad lines. The location of the asbestos plants No 1, No 3 and October, and of the Novostroika Mechanical Plant corresponds to previous reports on the different plants.

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1 Annex : Status and Plan View of Asbest.

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Status and Plan View of Asbest

- 1 Former locomotive barn, being dismantled because of the projected enlargements of the Carriere to the west up to the road. The enlargements, marked by the hatched section on sketch, are scheduled for the Fall of 1949. Dimensions about 1,000 x 100 meters.
- 2 Carriere 2610, 1,200 x 600 meters, with four levels. The mine is about 30 to 40 meters deep.
- 3 Old tracks of the steam railroad being dismantled. The steam powered locomotives have been replaced by electric locomotives.
- 4 New electrified railroad line under construction.
- 5 October Factory, asbestos mill, to be dismantled because of enlargements of the Carriere mine.
- 6 Wooden bridge
- 7 Road to the railroad station, pavement in poor condition
- 8 Southern enlargement of Carriere 2610, no exploitation during the time of observation.
- 9 Passenger railroad station with magnificent station building.
- 10 Water works in a woods about 300 meters from the railroad station; supply of drinking water.
- 11 Asbestos Plant No 3
- 12 Shop for electric locomotives, consisting of four large buildings, forge, mechanical department and barn for 10 to 15 locomotives
- 13 Compressor station, further details unknown
- 14 Asbestos Plant No 2, being enlarged, similar to Plant No 3
- 15 Top waste layer dumps (rubbish dumps)
- 16 Asphalt plant; construction started in 1945, production scheduled for the Spring of 1950
- 17 Transformer station with three transformers and three mercury rectifiers
- 18 Transformer and rectifier station like No 17, 50 x 12 meters
- 19 Barn with eight steam-powered locomotives, 25 x 20 meters

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Legend to Annex, continued

- 20 Administration of the South Carriere, a two-story wooden building
- 21 Single-track railroad bridge
- 22 Ilinski Factory, designated No 1, purpose unknown
- 23 Two mines "carriers", so-called "Jury", section of the south mine
- 24 Former theater; the "ATI" asbestos textile plant was transferred here during the war. The plant produces transmission belts, ropes, and asbestos plates
- 25 Water tower, concrete structure
- 26 New, large settlement with about 400 wooden buildings, 7 x 6 meters, constructed in 1948.
- 27 Sixteen wooden buildings, three stories, 30 x 10 meters, a nursing home for children, constructed in 1946
- 28 Former PW camp No 7476/ 1; Regime Camp since April 1949
- 29 Town administration and park
- 30 North "carriere" asbestos mine
- 31 Novostroika Plant.

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